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UNIT: [REDACTED]
EXT: [REDACTED]
DATE: 16 October 1970

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IMMEDIATE SANTIAGO (EYES ONLY) [REDACTED]

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1. [REDACTED] POLICY, OBJECTIVES, AND ACTIONS WERE
REVIEWED AT HIGH USG LEVEL AFTERNOON 15 OCTOBER. CON-
CLUSIONS, WHICH ARE TO BE YOUR OPERATIONAL GUIDE, FOLLOW:

2. IT IS FIRM AND CONTINUING POLICY THAT ALLENDE
BE OVERTHROWN BY A COUP. IT WOULD BE MUCH PREFERABLE
TO HAVE THIS TRANSPIRE PRIOR TO 24 OCTOBER, BUT EFFORTS IN
THIS REGARD WILL CONTINUE VIGOROUSLY BEYOND THIS DATE.
WE ARE TO CONTINUE TO GENERATE MAXIMUM PRESSURE TOWARD
THIS END UTILIZING EVERY APPROPRIATE RESOURCE. IT IS
IMPERATIVE THAT THESE ACTIONS BE IMPLEMENTED CLANDESTINELY
AND SECURELY SO THAT THE USG AND AMERICAN HAND BE WELL
HIDDEN. WHILE THIS IMPOSES UPON US A HIGH DEGREE OF
SELECTIVITY IN MAKING MILITARY CONTACTS AND DICTATES

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THAT THESE CONTACTS BE MADE IN THE MOST SECURE MANNER.
IT DEFINITELY DOES NOT PRECLUDE CONTACTS SUCH AS REPORTED
IN SANTIAGO 544 WHICH WAS A MASTERFUL PIECE OF WORK.

3. AFTER THE MOST CAREFUL CONSIDERATION IT WAS
DETERMINED THAT A VIAUX COUP ATTEMPT CARRIED OUT BY
HIM ALONE WITH THE FORCES NOW AT HIS DISPOSAL WOULD
FAIL. THUS, IT WOULD BE COUNTERPRODUCTIVE TO OUR [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] OBJECTIVES. IT WAS DECIDED THAT [REDACTED]
GET A MESSAGE TO VIAUX WARNING HIM AGAINST PRECIPITATE
ACTION. IN ESSENCE OUR MESSAGE IS TO STATE, "WE HAVE
REVIEWED YOUR PLANS, AND BASED ON YOUR INFORMATION
AND OURS, WE COME TO THE CONCLUSION THAT YOUR PLANS
FOR A COUP AT THIS TIME CANNOT SUCCEED. FAILING, THEY
MAY REDUCE YOUR CAPABILITIES FOR THE FUTURE. PRESERVE
YOUR ASSETS. WE WILL STAY IN TOUCH. THE TIME WILL COME

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WHEN YOU TOGETHER WITH ALL YOUR OTHER FRIENDS CAN DO SOMETHING. YOU WILL CONTINUE TO HAVE OUR SUPPORT." YOU ARE REQUESTED TO DELIVER THE MESSAGE TO VIAUX ESSENTIALLY AS NOTED ABOVE. OUR OBJECTIVES ARE AS FOLLOWS: (A) TO ADVISE HIM OF OUR OPINION AND DISCOURAGE HIM FROM ACTING ALONE; (B) CONTINUE TO ENCOURAGE HIM TO AMPLIFY HIS PLANNING; (C) ENCOURAGE HIM TO JOIN FORCES WITH OTHER COUP PLANNERS SO THAT THEY MAY ACT IN CONCERT EITHER BEFORE OR AFTER 24 OCTOBER. (N.B. SIX GAS MASKS AND SIX CS CANNISTERS ARE BEING CARRIED TO SANTIAGO BY SPECIAL [REDACTED] COURIER ETD WASHINGTON 1100 HOURS 16 OCTOBER.)

4. THERE IS GREAT AND CONTINUING INTEREST IN THE ACTIVITIES OF TIRADO, CANALES, VALENZUELA ET AL AND WE WISH THEM OPTIMUM GOOD FORTUNE.

5. THE ABOVE IS YOUR OPERATING GUIDANCE. NO OTHER

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THIS FORM FOR USE BY AUTHORIZED RESTRICTED HANDLING MESSAGE USERS ONLY [REDACTED]

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POLICY GUIDANCE YOU MAY RECEIVE FROM [REDACTED] OR
ITS MAXIMUM EXPONENT IN SANTIAGO, ON HIS RETURN, ARE
TO SWAY YOU FROM YOUR COURSE.

6. PLEASE REVIEW ALL YOUR PRESENT AND POSSIBLY
NEW ACTIVITIES TO INCLUDE PROPAGANDA, BLACK OPERATIONS,
SURFACING OF INTELLIGENCE OR DISINFORMATION, PERSONAL
CONTACTS, OR ANYTHING ELSE YOUR IMAGINATION CAN CONJURE
WHICH WILL PERMIT YOU TO CONTINUE TO PRESS FORWARD TOWARD
OUR [REDACTED] OBJECTIVE IN A SECURE MANNER.

END OF MESSAGE

[REDACTED]
WILLIAM V. BROE
C/WHD

COORDINATING OFFICERS

[REDACTED]
DAVID A. PHILLIPS
C/WH/TFR

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